GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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COMMITTEE FOR RTSA
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the composition of the committee for selection of the Rail Travellers Service Agent (RTSA);

(b) the functions entrusted to the above Committee;

(c) the number of RTSA appointed by the said Committee during each of the three years, zone-wise;

(d) whether the Railways have reviewed the functioning of the committee; and

(e) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R.VELU)

(a) & (b) The Rail Travellers' Service Agents(RTSAs) are selected by a committee of officers normally at divisional levels after calling applications. The composition of the Committee is decided by Chief Commercial Manager/Divisional Railway Manager.

The committee scrutinizes the applications and recommends the names of most suitable candidates to competent authority for approval.

(c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

(d) & (e) Committees are formed at divisional/zonal level which are constituted to select RTSAs based on guidelines issued from time to time.